MINUTES WV RACING COMMISSION Friday, May 2, 2014 WV Racing Commission Buch Conference Room

The WV Racing Commission met on May 2, 2014 to conduct business and consider administrative matters. Roll call was taken and present was Chairman Jack Rossi. Commissioner Bill Phillips and Commissioner Greg McDermott were available via conference call.

Approval of Mardi Gras Casino and Resort WVGOBA Juvenile Stakes Race Proposal

Chairman Rossi stated the Commissioners have proposals from Mardi Gras. His feelings are Counsel has advised there is no provision in the Rules to permit to change for dogs that are 26 months of age. Mike Staats, Mardi Gras, stated the proposal submitted this week has the correction of 15-24 months of age for the Juveniles to be eligible to race. The dogs must be 24 months or younger in the month of May. There were no other changes to the original proposal. Commissioner Phillips asked if there were any comments from the Breeders due to following State Code and there could be some dogs being left out with the 2 month issue? Chairman Rossi replied there were none he's aware of. Roger White stated Mardi Gras has done it correctly by complying with the law in regards to the age factor. Motion was made by Mr. Phillips to approve the proposal, seconded by Mr. McDermott. Motion passed.

Adjournment

Motion was made by Mr. McDermott to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Phillips. Meeting adjourned.